

<i>Sl. No.</i>	<i>Exchanges Name</i>	<i>Capacity</i>
68.	Neeranahalli	25
69.	Sadashiwgad	160
70.	Salkani	25
71.	Sambrani	56
72.	Santegulli	56
73.	Siddapur	176
74.	Siddar	25
75.	Sirsi	1088
76.	Sugavi	56
77.	Swarnagadde	25
78.	Umachagi	25
79.	Yellapur	192

[*Translation*]

Fire in Sub-Station of DESU

7013. SHRIMATI SANTOSH
CHOWDHARY:
SHRI RAJVEER SINGH:

Will the Minister of POWER AND NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether fire had broken out in the power sub-station of newly constructed "Sansad Vihar" on outer ring Road in January, 1992;

(b) if so, the causes thereof; and

(c) the remedial steps taken by DESU to avoid recurrence of such incidents in future?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF POWER AND NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES (SHRI KALP NATH RAI): (a) to (c). According to DESU, the fire in the said sub-station was caused due to a fault in the underground cable feeding the Triveni Cooperative Group Housing Society during electrification work. The fault in the cable has already been rectified. DESU carries out regular maintenance of the transmission & distribution system to avoid such incidents.

Rural Electrification in Bihar, Uttar Pradesh and Orissa

7014. SHRI RAM LAKHAN SINGH
YADAV:
SHRI MOHAMMAD ALI
ASHRAF FATMI:
SHRI RAM TAHAL
CHOUDHARY:

SHRI SRIKANTA JENA:
 SHRI SUKDEO PASWAN:
 SHRI HARKEWAL PRASAD:
 SHRI NAWAL KISHORE RAI:
 SHRI CHHEDI PASWAN:

(c) the target fixed for electrification for the coming five years?

Will the Minister of POWER AND NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the pace of rural electrification in some districts of Bihar, Uttar Pradesh and Orissa is very slow;

(b) if so, the details thereof district-wise; and

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF POWER AND NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES (SHRI KALP NATH RAI): (a) and (b). According to the information furnished by the State Electricity Boards as on 31.3.91, the level of the rural electrification in the following districts of Bihar, Uttar Pradesh and Orissa is less than 50% as compared to the national average of 83% and state-wise average of 68.5%, 73.4% and 66.97% respectively:-

<i>Bihar</i>	<i>Uttar Pradesh</i>	<i>Orissa</i>
Jahanabad	Jhansi	Koraput
Palamau	Sitapur	Phulbani
Hazaribagh	Hardoi	
Giridih	Barabanki	
Gumla	Mirzapur and	
Sahebganj	Sonbhadra	
Dumka	Basti and	
Godda	Sidharathnagar	

(c) Statewise rural electrification targets are fixed on annual basis by the Planning Commission. The districtwise targets are decided by the States.

[English]

Sri sailam Left Bank Canal

7015. SHRI DHARMABHI K. SHAM:
 Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union government have

received any proposal regarding tunnel schemes for executing Srisailam left bank canal from the Government of Andhra Pradesh;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the time by which it is likely to be cleared?

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI VIDYACHARAN SHUKLA): (a) and (b). A proposal regarding execution of Srisailam Left Bank Canal by